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CONSIDERATION OF REPORTS SUBMITTED BY STATES PARTIES
UNDER ARTICLE 44 OF THE CONVENTION

Periodic reports of States parties due in 1998

Note by the Secretary-General

1. In accordance with article 44, paragraph 1 (a) of the Convention on the Rights of the Child, States parties undertake to submit to the Committee on the Rights of the Child, through the Secretary-General of the United Nations, reports on the measures they have adopted which give effect to the rights recognized in the Convention and on the progress made on the enjoyment of those rights (a) within two years of the entry into force of the Convention for the State party concerned; (b) thereafter every five years.

2. Accordingly, the first periodic reports under article 44, paragraph 1 (b) of the Convention on the Rights of the Child are due in 1998 from 47 States parties on the following dates:

State party	Date due
Argentina	02 January 1998
Angola	03 January 1998
Djibouti	04 January 1998
Spain	04 January 1998
Panama	10 January 1998
Australia	15 January 1998
Malawi	31 January 1998
Yugoslavia	01 February 1998
Norway	06 February 1998
Guyana	12 February 1998
Rwanda	22 February 1998
Colombia	26 February 1998

State party	Date due
Côte d'Ivoire	05 March 1998
Cyprus	08 March 1998
Maldives	12 March 1998
Bahamas	21 March 1998
Dominica	11 April 1998
Madagascar	17 April 1998
Nigeria	18 May 1998
Yemen	30 May 1998
Lao People's Democratic Republic	06 June 1998
Ethiopia	12 June 1998
Jamaica	12 June 1998
Lebanon	12 June 1998
Sao Tome and Principe	12 June 1998
Mauritania	14 June 1998
Jordan	22 June 1998
Slovenia	24 June 1998
Bulgaria	02 July 1998
Poland	06 July 1998
United Republic of Tanzania	09 July 1998
Dominican Republic	10 July 1998
Finland	19 July 1998
Sri Lanka	10 August 1998
Myanmar	13 August 1998
Denmark	17 August 1998
the Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia	16 September 1998
Cuba	19 September 1998
Ukraine	26 September 1998
Italy	04 October 1998
Croatia	07 October 1998
Israel	01 November 1998
Hungary	05 November 1998
Estonia	19 November 1998
Kuwait	19 November 1998
Republic of Korea	19 December 1998
San Marino	24 December 1998

3. The reports from States parties listed above will be issued in addenda to the present document.